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Statistical Pattern Recognition (CE-725) Department of Computer Engineering Quiz #5 (Statistical Classification) - Spring 2011

1. (3 points) Consider a decision problem using one-dimensional feature vectors. Find the Likelihood Ratio Test for the following two class conditional densities:

$$P(x | w_1) = \frac{1}{2}e^{-\frac{x}{2}}, x > 0$$
 $P(x | w_2) = \frac{1}{4}xe^{-\frac{x}{2}}, x > 0$

Hint: You must calculate the $P(x|w_1)/P(x|w_2)$ ratio.

2. For the above problem, find the thresholds of likelihood ratio for the following cases:

a. (2 points) Bayesian minimum risk, with $\lambda 11 = \lambda 22 = 0$, $\lambda 12 = 1$, $\lambda 21 = 2$, $P(w_1) = 2/3$, and $P(w_2) = 1/3$.

Hint: For example, the threshold of likelihood ratio for Class Conditional Method is T=1, or the threshold of likelihood ratio for MAP Method is $T=P(w_2)/P(w_1)$.

b. (5 points) Neyman-Pearson with P_{FP} = 0.1.